

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 19 Jul 2021 until 23:59 on Tuesday 20 Jul 2021

Forecast Issued on Monday 19 Jul 2021 at 00:13 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High.

Headline for Monday 19 Jul 2021: Dry, warm and bright but some low cloud near the coast

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 19 Jul 2021

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy Snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight

High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
					
Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
20%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Monday 19 Jul 2021

Weather: Most ranges dry with sunny spells but some low cloud may affect west coast ranges and Skye.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70%

Visibility: Poor in extensive low cloud near coasts otherwise good

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	9/11 W	7/9 W	7/10 W	9/13 W	9/13 NW	8/10 NW	7/9 NW
900	8/10 W	6/8 W	7/10 W	9/13 W	9/13 NW	6/8 NW	6/7 NW
600	6/8 W	5/7 W	7/10 W	8/12 W	8/12 NW	4/6 NW	4/5 N
300	1/9 W	1/5 W	3/8 W	4/11 W	3/10 NW	1/4 NW	1/3 NW
Glen	1/2 W	2/3 W	4/6 W	6/8 W	6/9 W	3/4 E	1/3 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	7/4	8/6	10/9	12/10	11/9	10/8	10/8
900	7/5	9/8	11/10	13/11	11/10	10/9	10/9
600	9/8	11/10	13/12	15/14	13/12	11/11	11/10
300	11/11	14/14	16/16	18/18	16/16	13/13	11/11
Glen	13/14	15/16	17/17	18/18	17/16	14/14	12/12
Freezing Level*	2500m	2700m	2800m	2900m	2900m	3000m	2900m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Be prepared for sunburn in the strong sunshine, and dehydration on long hikes. The Cuillins, An Teallach and Torridon will always be at risk from low cloud throughout the day. Best conditions can be expected well inland.

Forecast for Tuesday 20 Jul 2021

Weather: Low confidence for detail. A lot of low cloud is likely across the most of the area and likely to linger for most of the day. However the far south of the region may remain free of cloud with some warm sunshine, this clearer weather may extend northwards later in the day.

Maximum wind: Westerly 10 mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 30%

Visibility: Poor in low cloud between 300 and 600 metres, but becoming good outside of cloud

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 14, rising to 17 Celsius where it remains cloudy, and 23 Celsius in the sunnier areas
At 800m: Plus 12 Celsius by afternoon, rising to 16 Celsius on sunnier ridges
Freezing level: Above summits